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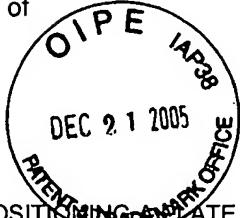
In re Patent Application of

DELAAGE, M.

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Title: DEVICE FOR POSITIONING A PLATE USED FOR ANALYZING SAMPLES ON AN EXAMINATION DEVICE

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Date: December 21, 2005

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Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

 **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment	0	minus highest number	
previously paid for	20	(at least 20) =	0 x \$50.00
			\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

Independent claims after amendment	0	minus highest number	
previously paid for	3	(at least 3) =	0 x \$200.00
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\$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$

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Five Month Extensions \$2160.00 (1255)/\$1080.00 (2255) \$ 120.00

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$

Applicant claims "small entity" status.  Statement filed herewith

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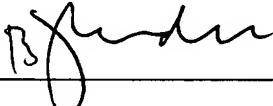
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**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated August 23, 2005, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested; the period for response having been extended up to and including December 23, 2005, by submission of the requisite petition and fee, attached.

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